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April 2, 1999

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application for Approval of Superior Water, Light and
Power Company's Proposed Gas Recovery Mechanism

5820-GR-100

**NOTICE OF PROCEEDING
AND
INVESTIGATION AND ASSESSMENT OF COSTS
AND
PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

Prehearing Conference Date: June 8, 1999 – 9:00 a.m.

**Conference Location: Public Service Commission, 610 North Whitney Way,
Madison, WI (Amnicon Falls Hearing Room - 1st Floor)**

THIS IS A PROCEEDING TO consider the application of Superior Water, Light and Power Company, filed September 3, 1997, under Wis. Stat. §§ 196.03, 196.20 and 196.37, for approval of its proposed Gas Cost Recovery Mechanism. Copies of the application can be obtained by written request to Superior Water, Light and Power Company, P. O. Box 519, Superior, WI 54880.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Commission will hold a prehearing conference on June 8, 1999, at 9:00 a.m. in the Amnicon Falls Hearing Room at the Public Service Commission Building, 610 North Whitney Way, Madison, Wisconsin, and continuing at times to be set by the presiding Hearing Examiner. This building is accessible to people in wheelchairs through the Whitney Way first floor (lobby) entrance. Parking for people with disabilities is available on the south side of the building. Any person with a disability who needs additional accommodations should contact the case coordinator listed below.

The prehearing conference is being held to: 1) identify persons who will actively participate as full parties; 2) identify issues; 3) determine the date and time for a hearing;

4) specify dates for filing testimony and exhibits; and 5) any other matters that will facilitate the hearing.

Full parties will be bound by the designation of issues and the schedule adopted at the prehearing conference. Persons who consider themselves to be potential full parties should participate in the prehearing conference. Persons who desire to actively participate as full parties must request full party status in writing. Full party status requests should be addressed to Jeffrey Patzke, Hearing Examiner, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin, Examining Division, P.O. Box 7854, Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7854.

This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

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Questions from the media may be directed to Jeffrey L. Butson, Public Affairs Director at (608) 267-0912.

Questions regarding this matter may be directed to Dennis Tuohy, case coordinator, at (608) 267-9159.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, _____

By the Commission:

Lynda L. Dorr
Secretary to the Commission

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